

Daily Bulletin

THURSDAY, OCT. 31, 1899.

ARRIVALS.

Oct 31—
Schr. Luks from Hamakua
Schr. Ka Mol from Kona

DEPARTURES.

Oct 31—
Schr. Kulamann for Waimea, Kauai
Schr. Waimanalo for Waialua and Waianae at 9 a m
Schr. Kaula for Kilauea and Hanalei at 4 p m
Schr. Kawailani for Koolau

VESSELS LEAVING TO-MORROW.

Star W G Hall for Lahaina, Maui, Kona, Kau and the Volcano at 10 o'clock a m
Star Pele for Kona ports at 11 a m
Star C R Bishop for Waianae, Waialua and Koolau at 9 a m

PASSENGERS.

For Kaula per star, Mikahala, Oct 30—
A. G. G. and wife, Mrs. C. Macfarlane, Miss M. F. Gay, A. Robinson, H. P. Faye, J. M. Monsarrat, Mr. Von Arnsworth, J. D. Tregloan, Miss Larsen, Mrs. Barker, E. Kopke, W. Meyer, F. W. Glade and wife, Dr. J. K. Smith, Miss Marlene, Mr. Aloia, Miss Angahen, F. Harrison, Mr. Peck, P. Isenberg, Jr., Hon. A. S. Wilcox and 7 deck.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The bark G. E. N. Wilcox sails on Saturday in ballast for San Francisco. The tugboat Geo. H. Douglas will sail next Tuesday for San Francisco. The bark Ida has finished unloading her cargo of lumber. The captain will soon call a board of inspectors to survey the vessel. It is very likely that another vessel will have to be chartered to take the lumber to the River Rio de la Plata.

COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT.

The Royal Hawaiian Band will give a complimentary concert at the Hawaiian Hotel this Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock to the visiting planters. Following is the programme:

PART I.

March—Greetings.....Nauman
Overture—Light Cavalry.....Suppe
Cornet Polka—A Mute Smile.....Kling
Selection—Nabucco.....Verdi
Mikihiko, Alina Hau, Kokohi.

PART II.

Selection—The Old Guard.....Planquette
Gavotte—Welcome.....Kluge
Quadrille—Madame Angot.....Leocq
Galop—All Ends Well.....Albert
Hawaii Honolulu.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL.

To-morrow, Nov. 1st, is "All Saints' Day," a holy day of obligation, solemnly kept by the Catholic church. Low masses at 6 and 7 a. m.; high mass at 10 a. m., followed by the administration of the sacrament of baptism. 3 p. m. confirmation followed by the holy rosary, and solemn benediction of the M. B. Sacrament.

The next day, Saturday, Nov. 2d, is "All Souls' Day." Low masses for the dead at 6 and 7 a. m. High mass at 9 a. m.

SPRECKELS' NEW TOW BOAT.

The new tug "Reliance" for J. D. Spreckels & Bros. had a most successful trial trip the 19th inst. and went into commission immediately. She is fifteen feet longer than the "Eleu" and is fitted with compound engines 15in and 30in by 24 in stroke of the regular Risdon Iron Works pattern, and has a working pressure of 110 lbs. She is also fitted with the Davidson wrecking pumps and has a gypsy arranged to work from the main shaft to haul in the hawsers after towing ships to sea. This is a new feature and saves much time and labor.

A PARACHUTE LEAP.

The following account of a balloon ascension and parachute jump by Joseph Van Tassel, who will do a similar exploit at Kapiolani Park on Saturday, is from a California paper:

The balloon ascension was the grand finale, and never was anything more of a success. Just before the ropes were cut the L. A. & P. engine blew several shrill blasts that drew the attention of the people on the beach, and nearly everyone was looking when the mammoth shot into the air. It was announced that Joseph Van Tassel, brother of the eminent aeronaut, would make the ascent, his first, and there was a wonder as to the outcome. The balloon shot up very quickly, until it attained an altitude of about 5,000 feet, when the parachute, containing the daring air voyager, was cut loose. Several of the ropes on the parachute had become tangled, and the aeronaut had dropped more than a hundred feet before he shook out the folds and caught himself. It was a critical period and more than one of the audience thought the man must surely be dashed to death. The parachute opened like a huge umbrella, and the descent was gradual and beautiful. Mr. Van Tassel alighting safely and considerably pleased with his success. After the parachute was dropped the balloon shot upward several thousand feet, and became almost a speck; it then drifted over the ocean and it was thought it would be lost. Then the wind changed, the air ship drifted to land; then it went back over the ocean and seemed to want to keep the people guessing as to where it would land; it finally struck the lower current of air and landed safely above town.

A VERY pleasant dinner party was given at the Hawaiian Hotel Tuesday evening, in honor of Mrs. John Corwin, wife of the Paymaster of the U. S. S. Nipic. The Hawaiian Quintette Club was stationed on the veranda and discoursed both vocal and instrumental music. Quite a large number of ladies and gentlemen were present.

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Mr. Walter Jones, the stenographer of the Supreme Court, was a witness in the Wilcox case yesterday. He read his shorthand notes, both questions and answers, of the evidence given by Wilcox in the Loomens case. His notes were exceedingly full and prove him to be a very expert shorthand writer. The Supreme Court is to be congratulated upon having the services of such an able and gentlemanly stenographer.

LOCAL & GENERAL NEWS.

This is pay day at the Government building.

See notice adjourned annual meeting Honolulu Sugar Co.

Read new matter in Hawaiian business Agency's space.

TENDERS are invited for a school house at Miloli, South Kona.

THE Tramways Co. give notice of service for the balloon ascension.

MESSRS. M. S. Grimbaum & Co. have received a new lot of genuine Havana cigars.

READ what R. F. Ehlers & Co. have to say elsewhere about new goods received.

TRESPASSING on the land known as Keahua in Waialua, Ewa, on this island is forbidden.

REPAIRS are being made to the stairway in the Government building leading to the second floor.

THE Australia on her return will bring an immense quantity of holiday goods of every description.

THE date of the Chinese fancy fair has been changed from December 5th to Thursday, December 12th.

THE Hawaiian band gives a concert at the Hotel this evening, complimentary to the visiting planters.

PROF. G. Sauvet is arranging a vocal and instrumental concert, to take place in about two weeks time.

A WIND break 40 feet high and 100 feet long is being erected at Kapiolani Park, for the balloon ascension on Saturday.

THE Woman's Board of Missions will meet at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, in the parlors of Central Union Church.

THE game of baseball on Saturday in the Junior League will be between the Iolani and Punahou. It commences at 1:30 p. m.

TO-MORROW is All Saints day and will be observed by special services in St. Andrew's and the Roman Catholic Cathedrals.

THE balloon ascension and parachute jump on Saturday is causing considerable excitement. Tickets can be obtained at L. J. Levey's office.

A GENUINE balloon ascent and parachute descent on Saturday afternoon at the Park. Nothing but a hurricane or tornado will prevent it.

THE Hawaiian Camera Club's projected exhibition will be open to members and their friends on the evening of the 15th prox., and to the general public on the following day.

DURING his absence at the Coast Mr. J. O. Carter went to San Rafael and called on Mr. Parker Makee. Mr. Carter says the latter is in very poor health, and shows no signs of improvement.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Honolulu Arion will be held to-morrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested as business of importance will be brought up.

THE officers of the Koloa Sugar Company for the ensuing year are:

President.....W. E. Anton Cropp
Vice-President.....H. P. Glade
Treasurer.....J. F. Hackfeld
Auditor.....J. E. Muller
Recording Secretary.....C. M. Cooke

PACIFIC Sugar Mill officers for the ensuing year are:

F. A. Schaefer.....President
C. R. Bishop.....Vice-President
J. Hoting.....Treasurer
H. Renjes.....Secretary
J. H. Paty.....Auditor

IN the Police Court this morning Hookano was fined \$9 with \$1.30 costs, for assault and battery on Kaulaia. A noble pros. was entered against Wm. Crowe, charged with using profane language. One drunk had to pay \$6. Other cases were further continued.

MR. Jones finished his evidence in the Wilcox trial, and Col. Baker gave his evidence this afternoon. The prosecution rested at 2:40, and Mr. Rosa moved for defendant's discharge. This was overruled and the defense then opened. There are prospects of the trial ending to-night.

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PLANTERS IN COUNCIL.

Annual Meeting of the Planters' Labor and Supply Company.

THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

On the reassembling of the Planters' Company at 1:45 p. m., Mr. J. M. Horner read a lengthy paper on the labor question. It argued against the injustice toward any people with our borders and pictured a future of great prosperity for these islands on the development of Pacific commerce.

Mr. Horner proposed as a solution of the labor question the following: "That all the planters import all their help, not otherwise supplied, under contract for a term of years, with a stipulation that they shall be returned to their homes at the expiration of their contracts and some provision made by the contracting parties in said contract, to insure a reasonable fulfillment of said stipulation."

Mr. Baldwin criticized the paper in some of its points, as being inapplicable to the resolution of the select committee's majority. He considered Mr. Horne was under a misapprehension in surmising that the company entertained any proposal of injustice toward any people now in the country. He could not see why legislation should not be made for regulating the employment of people in the kingdom.

Mr. Smith (Secretary) thought so much talk of justice was beside the question. There are 20,000 Chinese in the country, of whom only about 5,000 are working on the plantations. When the matter was before the Legislature prominent Chinese said they would be glad to assist in any scheme for putting the struggling Chinese to work. It would be no injustice to any of us if we were in Hongkong to be placed under the operation of laws of whose existence we were aware before going into that country. Every nation had an inherent right of making laws for the protection of its institutions. A large proportion of the Chinese here are undoubtedly under fear and control of their secret societies. Members of the Legislature, after looking in every direction for methods of regulating the Chinese, were compelled to admit that nothing effectual could be done without an amendment to the Constitution. The question is one not merely of the present, but gravely concerns the welfare of our children. Yet the necessity of more labor had shortly to be met, and the doors may have to be thrown open to Chinese. In that case we should be prepared with measures for their regulation. There were enough Chinese now here to supply the market, but for want of regulative measures they could not be put to work. An equal number of males of the most civilized nationality, without wives and families, would be a menace to the social welfare of the kingdom.

Mr. Rickard contended that planters could not pay wages to induce laborers of family to serve them. They must have a preponderance of male laborers. While there was very little trouble from Portuguese family laborers, the same could not be said of Japanese with families. All the natives in Hanakua could get employment. It was natural that the Chinese should want to herd in Honolulu. They (the planters) would also like to live in this nice place. It must be understood that no interference can be made with the great sugar industry that is the life of the country. He would agree to measures for regulating the number coming here, but would object to special laws for restricting the liberty of any who are in the kingdom. Let the number coming be limited, but, for those once here, if they prove superior to other nationalities in making a watch, in carpentry, or any white man's work, then let their rivals accept the inevitable.

Mr. Glade said we require more Chinese labor, but, to say that we should let them in to compete with white men and natives, and drive these to the wall, that would simply be suicidal. If a majority of 15,000 in the 20,000 of Chinese were unavailable for the plantations, there certainly was need for some regulation of Chinese labor. He believed that a general registration law applying to all nationalities would serve to trace up the vagrants of every race. Why should any of us object to letting it be known where we are if we are wanted? (Laughter.)

Mr. Macfie said this was the most important subject before the company this year, or that has been before the assembly in many years. He had given it great thought and the more he had done so the difficulty of a solution was the more apparent. Referring to the argument that the Constitution must be amended to open the way to relief, he spoke against tearing the Constitution to pieces every time anybody thought it wanted amendment. Even if the amendment was passed he doubted if the legislation that would follow could be enforced. As to registration of Chinese, it would be very difficult to carry out, as no nationality was so hard of individual identification. He thought the country had too many laws now.

Mr. Horner asked if the Chinese could be bound to plantation work without contracts.

Mr. Walsh was in favor of measures of restriction, but thought identification of Chinese was impracticable.

Mr. Atherton explained the tenor of the majority report, showing that, while it favored control and regula-

tion of the Chinese, it did not propose any details of legislation, which was a matter entirely for the Legislature.

Mr. Rickard moved an amendment to the majority resolution, as follows: To insert the words, after "regulated" in the next to last resolution, "by suitable legislation to be enacted by the coming Legislature." This would do away with the proposal "to restrict."

Mr. Smith desired that the company would not utter only generalities. He wished more of them had been in the Legislature to have become conversant with the difficulties of legislating to remove the grievance.

Mr. Walsh and Mr. Baldwin spoke in similar terms, holding that constitutional amendment was necessary.

The question being put the majority resolution passed as it came from committee, and the minority report was laid on the table.

FORM OF CONTRACT.

Mr. Glade having furnished the meeting with printed copies of a form of contract for Portuguese laborers, the document was discussed for a few minutes in a conversational way.

Later in the session the matter was resumed, and after searching discussion was left to future consideration.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

President Young announced the following standing committees for the ensuing year:

LABOR—G. N. Wilcox, W. Blaisdell, W. H. Purvis.

CULTIVATION—E. M. Walsh, W. H. Rickard, J. K. Smith.

MACHINERY—J. N. S. Williams, A. Dreier, P. C. Jones.

LEGISLATION—W. R. Castle, H. F. Glade, T. R. Walker.

RECIPROCITY—C. R. Bishop, F. A. Schaefer, C. M. Cooke.

TRANSPORTATION—R. A. Macfie, Jr., J. Marsden, W. Blaisdell.

MANUFACTURE—H. P. Baldwin, O. Isenberg, A. S. Wilcox.

LIVE STOCK—R. D. Wallbridge, T. S. Kay, J. N. Wright.

FORESTRY—C. Coelling, J. H. Paty, V. Knudsen.

FERTILIZERS—H. Morrison, W. W. Goodale, J. K. Smith.

VARIETIES OF CANE—W. Y. Horner, L. A. Thurston, J. M. Horner.

FRUIT CULTURE—E. C. Bond, T. R. Walker, W. O. Smith.

COFFEE AND TEA—J. M. Horner, P. C. Jones, W. F. Hall.

TOBACCO—F. M. Swanzy, H. F. Glade, G. N. Wilcox.

RAMIE—H. Deacon, J. B. Atherton, W. R. Castle.

LABOR MATTERS.

Mr. Baldwin started anew the matter of deserting Japanese laborers, which was discussed by several members.

Mr. Macfie thought the Japanese Government, when it retained a deposit out of its people's wages, a hardship in his opinion, ought to provide compensation to planters wronged by deserting Japanese out of their share of the deposit.

The Secretary agreed with this view, thinking the Japanese Government, ought to go a little further and do justice to the employers of their people.

Messrs. Purvis, Walsh, Rickard and Glade joined in the discussion. It was generally agreed that the Japanese inspectors, who are paid by the Hawaiian Government, should make quarterly returns of Japanese labor on all the plantations. Finally the matter was left to the trustees, to whom it had been committed at a previous session.

ADJOURNMENT.

At 4 o'clock the convention adjourned sine die.

HIS LIFE IN JEOPARDY.

Sacramento, Sept. 28—News has been received here from Honolulu that Al. Loomens, formerly engaged in the saloon business in Sacramento, has been sentenced to be hanged there for taking part in the recent revolution. He was First Lieutenant of Wilcox, the adventurer who led the malcontents.

The friends of Loomens in this city have made some efforts to save his neck. It is deemed strange that he should have taken part in an attempt at revolution, as when here he did not take sufficient interest in politics to become a citizen and to vote. Those who know him best believe that he became insane.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the Honolulu Sugar Co. will be held to-morrow, the 1st day of November, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of F. A. Schaefer & Co.

Honolulu, Oct. 31, 1899. 392 1/2

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE annual meeting of the Hawaiian Rice Association will be held at the Hawaiian Hotel, on SATURDAY, Nov. 2nd, at 7:30 p. m. o'clock. Full attendance is requested. Election of officers.

Honolulu, Oct. 31, 1899. 390 5/8

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Waikapu Sugar Co. will be held at the office of H. W. Macfarlane & Co., on MONDAY, Nov. 11th, at 11 o'clock a. m.

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OCTOBER TERM.

Trial of R. W. Wilcox for Conspiracy to Defraud His Wife for the Chief Justice.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 30.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Court resumed at 1:30 o'clock.

The cross-examination of Poepe was continued, after which Alexander Smith was put on the stand. He gave similar evidence to that in the other trials.

Mr. Walter Jones, the Supreme Court stenographer, was next sworn. He read the evidence as taken by him in shorthand, given by Wilcox in the Loomens trial. He had not finished when at 5 o'clock the Court took a recess to 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

THURSDAY, Oct. 31st.

The Court opened at 10 a. m.

Mr. Walter Jones, the stenographer, took the stand and continued reading his notes of Wilcox's evidence in the Loomens case.

At 12 o'clock the Court took a recess.

FATHER Damien's Photos. J. J. Williams has for sale by special permission at his studio, Fort street, photographs of the late Father Damien taken shortly before his death. Also, a series of scientific photos of interest to the medical faculty. 385 1/2

JUST received Celebrated Foochow Tea, direct from China; a splendid assortment of fine Teas: The Hawaiian Mixture, in 1/2 lb packages; The Rose Brand Tea, in 1/2 lb packages, de-lightfully fragrant; Extra Superfine Black Tea, 10 lb boxes in bulk; First Crop 1898-1899 Congee, in 10 lb boxes, 6 packages to a pound; to be had only of Gonsalves & Co., Honolulu. 382 1/2

Hawaiian Tramways Co., (LIMITED.)

Balloon Ascension at Kapiolani Park!

TO meet the requirements of passengers to Waikiki on Saturday next, a 1/2 hourly service will be run throughout the day from Liliha street; the 1/2 hourly service to the Kilauea Range will be discontinued for the day. Go early and avoid the crowd. Cars will be provided for the return to town after the performance. W. H. PAIN, Manager. 392 1/2

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby forbidden from trespassing and shooting upon the land known as Keahua in Waialua, Ewa, said land having been leased to me by Mrs. Leihala Marie. All trespassers will be prosecuted. KELLIPIPI. 394 1/2

October 30, 1899.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pacific Sugar Mill held this day, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

F. A. Schaefer.....President.
C. R. Bishop.....Vice-President.
J. Hoting.....Treasurer.
H. Renjes.....Secretary.
J. H. Paty.....Auditor.
H. RENJES, Secretary. 392 3/4

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Valuable Property For Sale

ON Nuuanu Avenue, a newly furnished 2 story House containing 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, closets, carriage house, stable, henry, etc. Grounds contain 2 1/2 acres, well laid out in lawns, shade and fruit trees, flowers, etc. Will be sold low, with or without furniture, horses, carriages, live stock, and all the appointments needed in a first-class residence, as the owner intends leaving the islands.

HAWAIIAN BUSINESS AGENCY.

Cottage To Let.

A NEAT Cottage, in perfect order, containing 4 rooms, mosquito proof, partially furnished, with large kitchen, shade trees, etc. Conveniently located. Rent \$20 per month to good tenant.

HAWAIIAN BUSINESS AGENCY.

COTTAGE

CONTAINING 1 large and 2 small rooms, veranda with bath-room, dining-room and kitchen detached, on Kakauike street, opposite Hotel street. Rent \$10 per month. Apply at

HAWAIIAN BUSINESS AGENCY.

Spelterine.

THE best remedy for wounds, ulcers, galls, proud flesh and sores of every description to persons or animals. Adopted by leading horse railroad, club and livery stables, etc. in the United States and elsewhere. We are prepared to prove this statement by testimonials and references to planters and liverymen in this Kingdom.

HAWAIIAN BUSINESS AGENCY

Island Views.

A LARGE assortment of Photographs and stereoscopic Views of the most attractive scenery, buildings, etc. in these islands, for sale at reasonable prices.

HAWAIIAN BUSINESS AGENCY, Corner Fort and Merchant streets. 2408 1/2

WANTED

A WOMAN to do light housework and assist in care of two children. German preferred. Apply at this office. 390 1/2

WANTED

A WOMAN to take the sole care of a family of three small children. A competent person will find immediate employment on application to

GULICK'S AGENCY. 376 1/2

OPINIONS - OF - THE - PRESS

ON THE

New Free Tontine Policy

OF THE

Equitable Life Assurance Society

OF THE UNITED STATES

A SIMPLE PROMISE TO PAY.

[From the NEW YORK TIMES, June 22, 1899.]

The Equitable Life Assurance Society has adopted a new form of policy which, like a bank draft, is a simple promise to pay without conditions on the back.

[From the CHICAGO INVESTIGATOR.]

Always on the alert, and ever anxious to give the public the most advantageous contract in life insurance, the Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York has, in the past, made many advances on old methods and has been the means to liberalize life insurance in a greater degree perhaps, than any other organization. It is not at all surprising, therefore, that this great company now comes before the people with a new contract, the like of which has not before been known in life insurance.